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NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE HAWAIIAN KINGDOM.

Proposed Amendment.

To Article 61 of the Constitution granted by Kamehameha V on the 20th day of August 1864 in accordance with | P. Kamai. Article 80 of said Constitution SECTION 1. That Article 61 of the Constitution granted by His Majesty Kamehameha V on the 20th day of August 1864 be and the same is hereby amended in accor-

out the words" five handred" and by substituting therefore the words "two thousand" and by striking out the words "two hundred and fifty" and substituting there- S. Kahoohalahala. fore the words " one thousand " so that the Article shall | R. W. Meyer read as follows: Auruche 61. No person shall be eligable for a Representative of the people, who is insane or an idiot; nor District of Kons..... unless he be a male subject of the Kingdom, who shall have arrive at the full age of twenty-one years, who shall | J. E. know how to read and write, who shall understand acfor at least three years, the last of which shall be the year immediately preceding his election and who shall W. G. Needham.....

dollars, or who shall have an annual income of at least | District of Waislus least one thousand dollars, derived from any property or some lawful employment-" I hereby certify that the foregoing Bill passed its third reading in the Legislative Assembly of the Hawalian Islands on the 9th day of August A. D. 1880. oe 29-3m JAMES M. MONSARRAT, Secretary,

Proposed Amendment.

ty Kamehameha V., on the 20th day of August A. D. 1864, as amended and approved on the 13th day of May, A. D. 1868, according to Article 80 of the Constitution-That Article 56 of the Constitution by and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows: "SECTION 56. The Representatives shall receive for their services a compensation to be ascertained by law, J. Kanal and paid out of the Public Treasury ; but no increase of I. H. Kapunial .. empensation shall take effect during the year in which A. Kankau. it shall have been made; and no law shall be passed increasing the compensation of said Representatives beyond the sum of Five Hundred Dollars for each Session.

JOHN H. BROWN, Inspector of Weights and J. G. Tucker... Measures, for the Island of Oaku.-103 Beretania Street, Orders may be left at the Police Station. july9,81,tf Opinion of the Attorney General on the

lands on the 9th day of July, A. D. 1880.

HONOLULU, Dec. 12th, 1881. To His Excellency H. A. P. CARTER, Minister of the Interior. In reply to your inquiry as to the manner and filling,

in accordance with the law, the second voting place designated in any election district I have the honor to That only in those election districts where there is ESPLANADE. | more than one District Judge or Tax Assessor or School

Section 6, of the Laws of 1868, p. 16, designates the Police or District Justice, the Tax Collector and the Tax Assessor, or in their absence, agents appointed by them, to be the inspectors of election.

Section 782 of the Civil Code, provides that the Mil. ister of the Interior may appoint more than one voting place in each district, and shall designate the Inspectors f election from among "the Justices, Tax Collectors and School Superintendents" in the district. The diffiilty arises when there is but one Judge and one tax col lector in the district. They are made by the law of 180 the Inspectors of the first voting place. If there shoul happen to be more than one of these officers, togethe with a School Superintendent there is no difficulty

reating the second board of Inspectors. But it appears, that in several districts such officers cannot be found. In such a case, my opinion is that you cannot legally create a board of Inspectors for a second

The Inspectors for the first voting place may appoint agents to take their places, during their absence, but the absence contemplated by law is one which may be due to sickness or unavoidable detention. They are unde obligation to attend at the voting place. The Minister of the Interior cannot appoint the same persons to act in two widely separated places at the same time, nor can Inspectors appointed by law to receive votes at the first voting place, abandon it and receive the votes at the

The law designates the Inspectors for the first voting place, and the Minister has no control over them. If therefore, there are not Justices, Tax Collectors, and School Superintendents in the district, saide from thos already holding offices as Inspectors, from whom a sec ond board can be created, it is my opinion that the sec and board cannot be legally constituted. If it were, and the Inspectors were persons not authorized by law to act, the votes cast at such a place would be illegal, and if the election were contested, would probably be rejected b the Courts.

It appears that, heretofore, it has been the custom t designate a second voting place, and appoint persons who were not qualified by law, to be the Inspectors. No doubt it has been a matter of great convenience to the voters to do so, and the failure to designate such a place will put them to great inconvenience. But, after careful consideration, I am convinced that such a practice is illegal, and might invalidate the election of candidates for the Legislature. The attention of the next Legislature will be called to this defect in the law regarding elections.

I have the honor to be, Your obedient servant W. N. ARMSTRONG,

The rate of commissions to be paid Tax Assessors and Tax Collectors for the year 1881 will be as follows :-- For Honolulu, Labains, Wailuku, Makawao, Hilo, and North Kohala, three per cent. ; all other districts four per cent. JOHN S. WALKER, Minister of Finance. Honolulu, Sept. 7th 1881.

THE election of Representatives to the next Legislative Assembly, will take place throughout the various Election Districts of the Kingdom, on WEDNESDAY, the 1st day of February next. The Polls at the several places of election will be opened at 8 o'clock A. M., on the day above named, and closed 415 P. M.

The following places are designated for holding the elections: HAWAII. District of Hile Court House, Hilo Inspectors of Election. G. W. A. Hapal. Jos. Nawahi. .Court House, Honokan-Inspectors of Election. J. P. Miau. R. A. Lyman.... Chas. Williams... ...Tax Assessor ...Tax Collector District of Kohala Court House, Waimen, S. Kohala Inspectors of Election. S. H. Mahuka Tax Collector And a Second Polling Place at North Kohala Court House. Inspectors of Election .Tax Collector D. S. Kahokano, School House, Kailus District of North Kons.... Inspectors of Election. District Justice Inspectors of Election. ... District Justice .. Tax Assessor .. Tax Collector D. H. Nahinu John Nahinu District of Kau Spencer's Store House, Honuapo Inspectors of Electon. J. H. S. Martin J. Kauhone ... Tax Collector Court House, Pohotki Inspectors of Election. ... District Justice ... Tax Assessor

MAUI. District composed of Lahaina, Olowalu, Ukumehame and Kahoolawe. Court House Inspectors of Election. Police Justice Tax Collector District composed of Kahakulos and Kaanapali. District beginning with and including Waihee and ex-tending to and including Honnaula.Wailuku Inspectors of Election. F. Kuihelani Police Justice
T. W. Evereti Tax Assessor
W. B. Keanu Tax Collector

District beginning with and including Hamakualoa and extending to and including Kula. ... Tax Collector District beginning with and including Kahikinui and extending to and including Koolsu. Inspectors of Election . Kawaiku... Tax Collector ... Pukoo, Molokai Inspectors of Election. S. K. Kupihea ... And a Second Polling Place at School House Kaohai, Lanai Inspectors of Election. ... District Justice

dance with Article 80 of said Constitution, by striking J. Kaluapihaole.........School Agent R. Newton. OAHU. . Alijolani Hale Inspectors of Election. R. F. Bickerton. counts, and shall have been domiciled in the Kingdom District of Ewa & Waisnae School House, Honouliuli Inspectors of Election.
District Justice own real estate within the Kingdom of a clear value over | Frank Brown Tax Collector A. Kauhi..... and above all incumbrances of at least two thousand 100.000 ... Court House, Waislus Inspectors of Election S. K. Mahoe Tax Collector District of Koolauloa School House, Hanula Inspectors of Election District JusticeTax Assessor

J. L. Kaulukou District Justice
T. A. Lloyd Tax Assessor
W. C. Lane KAUAL. District of Waimes Inspectors of ElectionTax Collector And a second Polling place at Inspectors of Election I hereby certify that the foregoing Bill passed its third | J. H. Kaika. reading in the Legislative Assembly of the Hawaiian Is. E. Kahale ... District of Puns

And a second Polling place at

och his James M. Monsarrat, Secretary. Inspectors of Election S. R. Hapuku..... .. Tax Collector And a second Polling place at Inspectors of Election THE ASSESSOR Laws of Election. District of Hanalei Court House, Hanalei Inspectors of Election

> Inspectors of Election J. H. K. Kalwi..... Interior Office. Dec. 15, 1881.

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NONE EXCEPT PRINCIPALS NEED APPLY. CILBERT WALLER. Honolulu, December 13, 1881.

THE PACIFIC

NOTES OF THE WEEK.

See our Supplements for local and 13° The Premier of New South Wales, Sir

HENRY PARKES, will be a passenger from Sydney

of recruiting failing health. The great storm which occurred in England from 24th to 26th November was almost coincident with violent weather experienced

Hoeola (w) was committed to the insane be illuminated with prismatic colors by the aid asylum on Wednesday. Dr. Fitch, in his evidence before the Police Justice, described her as a perfect maniae and not safe to be at large.

The London Times in an article on the rumored intention of the French Government to annex the Hervey group to their colonial possessions says that France is barred from such a course by an existing treaty with Great Britain.

Bickerton, on Monday last, to a charge of selling merchandise of foreign product and manufacture of \$40 with \$3 costs, or in default, 80 days im-Bishop Willis has just left for England on a mission in promotion of the interests of St. Andrew's Cathedral, Hopolulu, and the Bishop

of Singapore was expected about this time in his

John Burke pleaded guilty before Judge

diocese, returning from a similiar mission, on behalf of St. Andrew's Cathedral, Singapore. Our enterprising fellow-townsman Mr. Jas Dodd will, on Monday, place at the service for hire within the city and suburbs. The stand for these 'busses will be at the corner of Hotel and Fort streets, and Mr. Dodd will issue tickets at the rate of nine for a dollar, one of which

will pay for any journey within the city limits.

In our "by authority" columns will be

found the official list of polling places and of

presiding officers for the ensuing elections. It should be noted that there will be no election at qualified persons to conduct an election, under the existing law, in that district. of the late Fancy Fair, after payment of all expenses, the sum of \$3,166.40. Her Majesty the Queen Dowager Emma, will also have a further

The handsome stallion, Young Venture. their hearts. is advertised to stand for the season at the homestead of Mr. C. B. Miles, Makawao. We have seen Young Venture, and do not think that any of our knowing ones in horseflesh will question our verdict when we say that this is one of the finest models of a horse that we have seen in

handsome contribution to make to the fund, be-

these Islands. In consequence of "information received" a police officer, Apua, kept a watch, the other day, on a native named Enoka and caught him as he came away from the store of Ah Wo at the corner of King and Maunakea Streets, carrying four bottles of gin. Enoko turned King's evidence and he and Nahohelu both deposed to repeated purchases of gin at this store. The case was heard on Thursday and resulted in Ah Wo being fined \$100 with \$3,40 costs.

17" A Concert in aid of the Oahu College Island child who lived with Hananaku (w), in Building Fund is to be given on Friday evening next in the New Music Hall. From the provertising columns, we are led to expect a choice devoted will no doubt aid in ensuring a full and fashionable audience.

serving a ten month's sentence at hard labor. Some articles stolen from the cottage belonging to Mr. P. C. Jones, which was found to be on fire on the 31st October last, were .District Justice | traced to a native boy named Kaloa, in the employ of Rev. Alex. Mackintosh. Kalos, on being brought before Judge Bickerton last week, was sentenced to a year's imprisonment with hard labor, and a fine of \$10. No direct evidence to connect him with the presumed act of incendiarism by which the fire on Mr. Jones' premises was caused was elicited, but the account he gave of the way in which he spent the night

on Monday last to a year's pena Court House, Libue circumstances, that he was not allowed much time to enjoy the fruits of his enterprise.

cabin, a package containing \$47,30 which had Francisco, for a man named Pahao, who ought . School Agent to have come in the vessel as a seaman. On Monday the steward of the Kalakaua was charged with stealing this money. The only evidence District Justice against him was that he had told the cook that he wanted some money to buy a mosquito bar, day at the Police Court, when the evidence re-wages, he paid away a \$20 Hawaiian note when journment to yesterday afternoon. Yesterdays purchasing some articles at Mr. Waterhouse's evidence bearing on Lu Koa's connection with coors of Election District Justice store. It appeared that the drawer containing the murder was taken and the enquiry was again Tax Collector | the money was not locked and that after the ar- adjourned to Tuesday next. Lu Koa gave evi-W. N. ARMSTRONG.
Minister of the Interior, ad interim,
Dec. 15, 1881.

School Agent
rival of the Kalakaua here, various persons had been in the Captain's cabin. The Magistrate dismissed the case.

The alarm of fire at 8.45 on Thursday evening was occasioned by a fire in a closel connected with the premises of Honolulu Engine Co. No. 4, which was caused by the exposure of a naked lamp to the adjoining woodwork. The alarm rung proved to be entirely needless. It caused a stampede from the auction room, where a large crowd was assembled at the time. There was indeed some little panie there, occasioned by some one at the door calling out "fire, fire," which led many persons to think that the building in which they were was

Bed The schooner Warwick did not, as stated, cave here on the 26th uit., but on the 21st. She rocceded to the port of Awalua, in the island of lanai, where she landed some freight on the 23rd. From there she proceeded to Kalaupapa with supplies for the Leper settlement. We be-keve she was seen off there on Sunday the 27th ult., but on account of the high wind then pre-vailing, she could not make a landing, but stood off to sea. The best place to run to would have been the lee side of Lanai but she has not been seen there up to the 14th of this month and no news of her has been received from any point. It is to be feared that she is lost. Capt, Josepa had his wife with him but it is believed that she was landed at Lanai, where she resides, The name of the mate of the Warwick was Kanakaole and the sailors on board were Niihau and Oulu. It is not known whether she carried

IF A Christmas pantomime has been prepared for the delectation of Honolulu boys and giris, and "children of a larger growth," under the management of Mr. Edwin Browne. The pantomime will be performed at the Music Hall to-night, and on Wednesday afternoon. It is entitled "Humpty Dumpty," and promises to provide a sparkling and thoroughly enjoyable evening's amusement for both young and old. The principal characters, afterwards transformed by the P. M. S. S. Australia, due here next mouth. He pays a visit to Europe in the hope of recogniting failing health. and Walter Melville. The scenic arrangements and the wonderful tricks to be exhibited surpass anything that has been attempted here before. The Keumi Brothers will give two distinct acrobatic performances, and the whole will conclude with a transformation scene of great beauty-a coralline grotto, with a cataract of real water, to

Christmas Tree at the Chinese Church.

Yesterday evening Young China had a gala at the pretty new church on Fort Street. Prof. Frank W. Damon, assisted by Miss Paysen, and many kind Christian ladies, devised and constructed an elaborate Christmas tree. It presented a pyramidal without a license. He was condemned to a fine mass of foliage, interspersed with stars, fruits, flowers, and bonbons; and with numerous wax lights was brilliantly illuminated. It was the wonder and delight of about sixty little Celestials assembled there, and for whose entertainment and instruction it was devised. And besides there were tables spread out with toys, bonbons, and Chinese oranges for good luck, with the name attached to a ticket surmounting a lot of gifts. Upon the walls were inscrip tions in Chinese and English-"Glory to God in the Highest;" "On Earth, Peace and Goodwill to Men." There was a large and interested company of foreign ladies and gentlemen present, besides the Chinese parents and friends; and the occasion was most interesting and impressive-impressive to any thoughtful mind, to observe the Waipio on this occasion, there being no properly eulture and Christian spirit of the Western civilization, thus planning and laboring with all the zeal of true love to harmonize The Treasurers of the Building Fund of in the spirit of the brotherhood of Christ st. Andrew's Cathedral have in hand, as proceeds with the multitudinous Eastern civilization. This is the true way. Not with treaties and guns, or guns and treaties-but with child-like love, taking hold of the ing the proceeds of articles not sold during the children; and by such acts as this Christmas tree, educating race prejudice out of

There was song and prayer, and the children repeated the Lord's Prayer, and recited the story of the Birth of Christ, as related in the Gospel, in the English and Chinese Anguages. Among the company that had assembled to witness this interesting occasion, H. R. H. Princess Liliuokalani, Honprables Mr. and Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. H. A. P. Carter, His Honor Chief Justice Judd, Rev. Drs. Damon and Hyde, Rev. J. A. and Mrs.

Murder in Manoa Valley.

a cottage in Manoa valley, ran into a neighboring house and told the immates that her mother, gramme, which will be found in full in our ad- as she called her, was sick and bleeding. On going to find out what was the matter they found entertainment for the lovers of music and of Hananaku lying on her bed with blood oozing good recitation. Besides these attractions the from the back of her head and apparently dead. important object to which the funds are to be The police were immediately sent for. On examination, Mr. Dayton, found the unfortunate woman had apparently received four distinct blows on the head. One of these was on the Our accurate and painstaking Commis- crown and had made a wound about two inches sioner of Immigration says in his Report that long, another was a little lower down, on the the province of Bengal "holds thirty millions left, leaving a wound about an inch long. These of people." A census was taken in India in appeared to have been made with the sharp edge February last, which showed the population of of some instrument which was not heavy Bengal to be 68,825,920. As the Commissioner enough to penetrate the skull, although it frac-would have strengthened his argument by giving tured it. The other two wounds were in a line the higher figures instead of those he guessed at, with those lower down on the side of the head or trusted to a treacherous memory for, we have and had the appearance of being made with the here a very nice gauge of the credit that is due to back of a shingling hatchet. The lowest wound the contents of his Report and his utterances in was close to the ear. The result of all these blows was that the skull was fractured from the crown to the left ear. Blood had flowed from An impudent robbery was committed on the wounds but not in great quantity, and Saturday last in Beretania Street, at the house near the ear a little of the brain was protruding of Kealoha. Kealoha and his wife were in the There were no signs of any struggle or dis house at the time, and hearing a noise in the turbance; the victim of this brutal crime was bedroom went to see what caused it and found a lying on her back with her head turned a little man, whose name proved to be Kamaanao, rum- towards the right side. There was no blood on maging a trunk. The culprit ran for it, but was the coverlet which lay over her, or on any thing caught and given into custody by Kealoha. A cise save where it had oozed from the wound ring and one ear-ring were found on him by Of- and run about six inches and lay in a little ficer McKeague which were identified by the clotted poocl. Nothing in the place was disprosecuting witnesses, and Kamaanao is now turbed, and the murder had been so quietly committed that the little girl, already spoken of, who was sleeping in the same room, knew nothing about it. Hananaku's daughter examined her mother's trunk, and reported that nothing in it had been meddled with. No implement such as could have been used to infliet the murderous blows was found, nor any other promise of a clue by which the perpetrator of crime might be traced. Suspicion at first fell upon Kaulia, who is a cousin of the man to whom Hananaku's daughter is married. He has been living with Hananaku, and it is believed that there had been some differences between them. But a clear slibi was promptly provedfor Kaulia, who left the house at 3 o'clock on before that fire occurred was found to be untrue. the Sunday afternoon and, after spending some time with friends at Fisherman's Point, had John Hapa, for a little enterprising trade, stayed at Paukolo for the night, and could ac-.... School House, Waimen | servitude and a fine of \$10. He is a bold, and It appeared too that he had himself put in the at the same time, a lazy thief. Observing that a erop of kalo in Hananaku's patch, and couldDistrict Justice house which he found locked up, contained a have no possible personal interest in her death bedstead, mattress and four pillows, he went but decidedly the contrary, - Meanwhile the about until he found a purchaser for the lot at Marshal had been led to suspect another, a Chi-\$9. He took the purchaser and his wife to the man, who had been living in Manoa valley up to house, the lock of which he had broken, and 27th September last, and had been very anxious District Justice there gave delivery of the things, a few hours to have Hananaku's daughter for his wife. This before their owner returned from a three weeks' man has been living since September at Koolau, visit elsewhere. It is not surprising, under the but it was ascertained that he came over from there last Saturday, and did not return until the Monday morning. This man has more than one alias, but is best known to natives as Lu (or Shortly after the bark Kalakana arrived Lau) Koa. He was believed to entertain a deep in port, Capt. Jenks missed from a drawer in his grudge against Hananaku, because she had given her daughter in marriage to another man, and in been given to him by Consul Severance, in San the absence of all other cine to the perpetrator of the murder, suspicion was naturally directed against him. He was arrested at Koolan on Wednesday by officer Mehrtens, An inquest was commenced on Monday at the

residence of the deceased and continued on Tues-